House Resolution No. 3492

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her community; and

Whereas, Jan Schuster, an esteemed resident of Glendale, Missouri, received the Governor Carnahan Service and Volunteer Award from the Missouri Community Service Commission during a special presentation held June 4, 2004; and

Whereas, the Governor Carnahan Service and Volunteer Award recognizes one outstanding volunteer from Missouri who demonstrates dedication, outstanding service, and the pursuit of improving communities and changing lives; and

Whereas, a National Service-Learning Exchange Peer Mentor, Jan Schuster has served as the Service-Learning Coordinator for the Kirkwood School District for more than thirteen years, and started the District's service-learning program with a Learn and Serve America grant; and

Whereas, in addition to her work with the National Service-Learning Exchange, Jan Schuster has compiled an enviable list of service to such important organizations as the St. Louis Council of Directors of Volunteer Services, St. Louis United Way Volunteer Center Certification Committee, the Glendale-Kirkwood Kiwanis Club, and the Missouri Community Service Commission, just to name a few; and

Whereas, in her role as a peer mentor, Jan Schuster has helped numerous teachers, schools, and school districts to implement quality service-learning; and

Whereas, Jan Schuster has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her devoted husband, the Honorable John Schuster, Mayor of the City of Glendale:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jan Schuster upon her most worthy receipt of the prestigious Governor Carnahan Service and Volunteer Award, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Jan Schuster.

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| _ | Representative Richard G. Byrd |
| | District No. 94 |
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| I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of | |

Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3492, adopted June 28, 2004.